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PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Ordinance Defining Boundary Lines, Elevations and Grades for San Bruno Road Adopted.

The city board of trustees met in regular session in the city hall last Monday evening.

A Class A liquor license was granted to Mrs. Delia Harrington.

City Clerk Smith presented his report as to the financial condition of the city, as follows: Cash on hand July 1, 1912, \$575.56. Receipts during July—Liquor licenses \$668.75; recorder's court, \$45; peddlers' licenses, \$20; interest on deposits, 45 cents. Total

receipts during month, \$734.20. Grand total, \$1309.76. Expenditures as per warrants drawn, \$885.15. Balance cash on hand August 1, 1912, \$424.61.

The treasurer and marshal's reports were the same as the clerk's.

Upon motion of Trustee McGovern, seconded by Trustee Holston an ordinance defining the boundaries, elevations and grades of San Bruno road, between Grand and Armour avenues, was adopted.

BASEBALL NEWS

"Daly City won't be with us Sunday," said Captain Jehl of the local baseball club. "We were making big preparations for them, but they notified the Spalding booking agency, August 8th, that several of their players were incapacitated and they would not play Sunday. They might have some player with a sore toe or a slight headache, but it looks very much to the writer as if it was a clear case of cold feet. Anyway we will have some game. Look, who's coming. The San Francisco Leaders. The team that beat the crack Telegraph Hills Sunday a week ago, 5-0. Now any club that can do that has got a bunch of ball players on their roster."

Last Sunday the local team again demonstrated that the San Francisco Moose are entirely out of its class. They were completely swamped, 20-5. Hickey pitched another sterling good game. The Moose were only entitled to two runs. Henry Haaker was back in the game and played nice ball. The club missed both Ratto and Bills who were absent on account of deaths. Jehl, McGrath and Louis Ringue came through with some terrific dives that put the damper on the Moose. "To-morrow's game will be called at 2:30 sharp."

ADVISORY BOARD AND SUPERVISORS MEET

Last Tuesday the advisory board of citizens and the board of supervisors held a joint meeting in Redwood City.

The proposed county road bond issue was discussed at length, and a committee of four, consisting of Supervisors Casey and Brown and Davenport Bromfield and E. E. Cunningham, was appointed to select and recommend an expert to be appointed by the board of supervisors to go over the county survey report of County Surveyor Neuman. This committee will hold a meeting at the rooms of the San Mateo County Development Association in San Mateo next Tuesday. Each supervisor was authorized to select two members of the advisory board whose duty it will be to obtain new rights of way for county roads where necessary.

Upon motion of E. E. Cunningham, it was decided to include the county highway, from Pescadero to the Santa Cruz county line, in the general county highway system.

A SPLENDID IDEA.

Startling, striking, one that should and undoubtedly will cause employees at other factories to sit up and take notice, will be the palatial steamer St. Helena which will arrive at the W. P. Fuller Co's wharf Sunday morning, August 18th, at 8 o'clock. The W. P. Fuller Co. has made complete arrangements to give its factory hands a picnic at Glen Cove on the before mentioned date. The wives and families of the workers are also invited. Music, dancing and other entertainments will be provided both on steamer and at picnic grounds. It will be a great day, something doing all the time. A live committee composed of the following employees will see to it that nothing is left undone to make it a memorable affair: Here they are: Messrs Manning, Duffy, Edwards, Iago, Murphy, J. Wight, Gough, Ferron, Comelson, Burnett, W. Wight, Still and Lockhart. This firm is showing itself to be the most progressive company on San Francisco bay.

Steamer St Helena will be at Fuller Co's wharf in this city at 8 a.m. for employees resident in this city and vicinity, and at Jackson street wharf, San Francisco, at 9:30 a.m. for benefit of employees living in San Francisco.

SERVICES AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday August 11th. 10:30 a. m. Sabbath school. Mrs. J. James, Acting Superintendent. 7:30 p. m. Preaching Service. Dr. W. C. Evans, Superintendent of San Francisco District, will preach. There will be special music. Parents may have children baptized. Dr. Evans is one of the ablest preachers in the California Conference and the people should not fail to hear him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coffinberry and young daughter Elizabeth, of Garrett, Indiana, arrived in this city this week. They will be guests of W. H. Coffinberry, president of the Bank of South San Francisco, his brother, and wife, for several months. Mr. Coffinberry has been in poor health, but the balmy breezes off the Pacific Ocean in this city will soon make a new man of him.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

The local schools will open next Monday.

John Wood, who has been quite ill for several days, is able to be out again.

The big picnic of the year—Labor Day, at Tanforan Park. Don't fail to attend.

Miss Mildred Foley has returned to her home after a ten-days' visit in Vallejo.

The Friday afternoon euchre club was entertained by Mrs. A. Hynding this week.

Tom Mason of San Jose, formerly a resident of this city, was a visitor here this week.

Mrs. Peter Lind has returned home from an enjoyable visit to her parents in Marin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Britton returned from their summer vacation in Santa Clara valley on Friday.

Mrs. J. Eikerenkotter and little daughter Beatrice have returned from a visit in Redwood City.

There is a movement, on foot to reorganize the women's improvement club of South San Francisco. A few years ago when this club was active it did excellent work and its reorganization is a move in the right direction.

The Misses Anna and Minnie and John Zaro are spending a delightful sojourn through Sonoma county, being at present at Lytton Springs. John says he will stay while the pretty girls flock around. Things look pretty good to him.

Quite a number of unmuzzled dogs were noticed on the streets the past few days. The ordinance compelling dogs to be muzzled has not been repealed and the danger of rabies has not passed, so dog owners should see to it that their pets are kept muzzled or off the streets.

The statement that the South City Lumber and Supply Co. had moved its business to San Francisco was a mistake. San Francisco has been chosen as the headquarters for the corporation meetings for convenience. The business will continue at the same old stand in this city in the same old way.

A horse belonging to the Pacific Gas and Electric Co. ran away Thursday morning on Maple avenue and was brought to a stop by running into some trees on the Maple avenue side of E. E. Cunningham's home. The contents of the wagon the horse was hitched to were thrown out and the wagon damaged somewhat.

Dr. J. C. McGovern, of this city, has applied to the superior court for a writ of habeas corpus to compel County Clerk J. H. Nash to place his name on the list of nominations for supervisor from the first township. Nash declares that on the night before the list was made up McGovern called him up by telephone and declared he was out of the race. The case will be heard next week by Judge Buck.

Volunteer Hose Co. No. 1 will give an all-night masquerade ball for the benefit of the local fire department in Metropolitan Hall to-night. Prizes will be given to men and women maskers. Costumes can be obtained at W. C. Schneider's store. Supper for 50 cents a plate at Linden Hotel. General admission 50 cents. Electric cars will run all night every half hour to 10 p. m., hourly afterwards.

The local school board received bids for plumbing in the Baden avenue school building last Saturday, as follows: J. Grimes, San Mateo, \$965; Burnham Plumbing Co., San Francisco, \$961; W. L. Hickey, of this city, \$945; W. L. Hickey's bid was accepted and contract awarded to him. The installing of modern toilets will cost approximately \$675. Things are in good shape at both school houses. Whitaker & Ray Co. of San Francisco has not completed the work of installing new window curtains contracted for.

A surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Zura last Sunday

FIRST SHOVELFUL OF EARTH MOVED ON STATE HIGHWAY

Members of Pacific Highway Convention Present at Ceremony---Barbecued Meat Served.

The first ground was broken for the state coast highway through this county last Wednesday on Mission road near its junction with the bay shore road in San Bruno.

The Rev. William A. Brewer, mayor of Hillsboro, and president of the San Mateo County Development Association, was chairman of the day. The delegation from the highway convention and other guests from San Francisco, arrived an hour behind their schedule in automobiles. Immediately after their coming the Rev. Mr. Brewer started the day's ceremonies in a brief address in which he thanked the highway commission, through Burton A. Towne, for giving San Mateo county the first actual work on the highway system.

Then, introducing Mr. Towne, said: "Mr. Towne, we welcome you; you're the best friend we have." The reverend chairman called on the commissioner to turn over the first earth in the new road. As Mr. Towne stepped forward and grasped a shovel and pick and hurled aside the gravelly top of the roadway the chairman said: "In this hole we bury all prejudices and knockers and run the roller over them."

Mr. Towne was then asked to make

afternoon, August 4th, at their home, 252 Grand avenue. They were presented with a beautiful hand-painted China set—a wedding present from Mrs. Zura's friends. The afternoon was spent in dancing and playing games. Ice cream and cake were served. The following invited guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. M. Monize, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Monize, Mrs. Mary Costa, Mrs. Freda Sassmann, Mrs. Sands, Misses Mary Costa, Sophie Baumann, Cecelia Farrell, Irene Ver Linden, Violet Ver Linden, Carrie Yeriin, Elsie Chadwick, Marguerite Davis, Zella Zenetti, Mary Raposal, Flossie Davis, Josephine Sands, Frances Sossi, Lillie Kern, Hazel Dean, Gertrude Karbe, Agnes Karbe, Edna Kellogg, Rosie Monize, Jennie Ringue, Mildred Foley and Bert Borden.

an address. He stated briefly that within a year the commission had had surveyed 15,000 miles of road, has actually gone over and inspected 5000 miles and will have 37 miles under construction within 30 days.

"Of late there have been several comments on our integrity," he said, "but that doesn't worry us a bit. By 1915 we will have the entire system as planned constructed and there won't be a bad spot." He was cheered.

Mr. Brewer then announced that the San Mateo County Development Association would be host at an old-fashioned barbecue and all adjourned to the grove back of the speaking platform. Mesdames R. Liddle, E. C. Doyle, Otto Tuska, W. N. Holliday, Oscar Anderson, J. F. Beckner and W. H. Skellinger of San Bruno served meat barbecued by Captain Oleson, along with chili sauce, beans, beer, coffee and bread.

At this point the Rev. Mr. Brewer extended the thanks of the development association and guests to the women of San Bruno for their service at the barbecue.

W. J. Martin of San Mateo county was then introduced and in an impassioned address urged the cause of good roads. He called attention to the fact that San Mateo county will vote December 16th on a bond issue of \$1,250,000 for building a series of lateral roads to connect with the state highway and stated the pride of San Mateo county is being able to show the visitors from the northwest something actually started in the way of a great system of roads.

The scenic grandeur and beauty of San Mateo county and its business and home-making possibilities were pointed out by the speaker, who declared that San Mateo county farmers who have demanded the elimination of the middlemen are really being robbed by bad highways.

Among the other speakers were Percy S. Walker, president of the California Automobile Club, Judge A. G. Reynolds, president of the Pacific Highway Association, and Thomas Taylor, Minister of Public Works of British Columbia.



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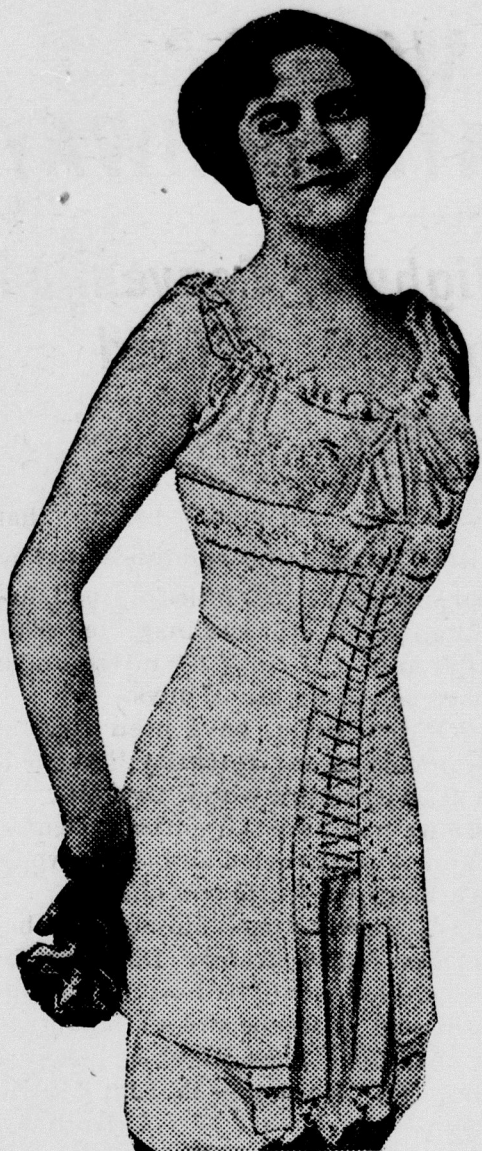
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KEEPING YOUNG.

Advice For the Woman Who Would
Look Well.

At nearly sixty-eight Miss Carlotta Addison was playing a short time ago a fairy in "The Blue Bird." She gave her secret of youth to the correspondent of a foreign publication. Here it is in two lines:

"Work has kept me young. I have had no time to grow old."

And her next sentence emphasizes the point:

"Only when I have a spare hour and sit down to play patience do I begin to feel old. So long as I am working I always feel young. In 'The Blue Bird' I played the part of a fairy—an old fairy, it is true, but still a fairy—and I felt very young, and I believe all the really young fairies thought I was young too. I'm sure they had no idea I was nearly seventy."

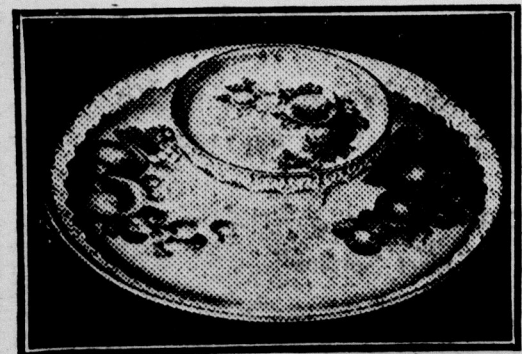
"I have had a hard life, but I believe it is the people who have the hardest lives who keep the youngest. The prematurely old people are those who are always taking rest cures. Nothing makes people so old as having nothing to do. But work should be congenial. If I had been a charwoman I am afraid I should have been much older than I am."

"It is a good thing to be as much as possible with the young people—if they will put up with you and you know how to get on with them. Some of my friends tell me that young people bore them. But that is never so with me. I am still interested in everything that interests young people."

"It is not wise to try to keep young. Nothing makes one feel so old as wearing 'young' clothes. I think the great secret is to work hard and take no notice of birthdays and avoid holidays. A holiday always makes me feel rather old, especially if I have to play patience."

An Autumn Wedding Gift.

One of the interesting additions to fine china displays for autumn wedding gifts is this cracker and cheese dish.



DISH FOR SERVING CRACKERS AND CHEESE. ding gifts is this cracker and cheese dish.

The cheese reposes in the small, inner dish, and the crackers are arranged around the plate.

Fancy Work Stitches.

A conventional figure that is easily adapted is an oval composed of four

rows of dots, the largest on the outside. This design may have the dots worked in slightly padded satin stitch, or for more open effect eyelets can be used. A bold border could have three rows of the ovals, the outer walls measuring an inch and a half by an inch and a quarter, the next an inch by three-quarters and the inner ones half an inch by three-eighths. The size of the dots is proportioned to the size of the oval.

Suffrage in North Dakota.

An active state wide campaign is being planned in North Dakota, and legislative work will receive the first attention of the leaders of the movement, who have outlined a progressive program for the coming year.

For the Children

Basket Ball Player
Trying For a Goal.



Photo by American Press Association.

The vacation season is one of joy and activity for most young people. The school grind being over and the thought of study banished for the time permit the pursuit of health and pleasure in field, forest, mountain and by the seaside. Games and sports of course occupy the youthful mind for the most part, and each individual has ample time to indulge in his or her favorite pastime. Baseball, swimming and fishing usually are fun enough for any boy, while girls, although fond of the water, are not so partial to baseball. Basketball, however, remains a popular game with the girls and is a fine outdoor exercise. The snapshot of a girl trying for a goal was taken in a New York park.

Bunch of Ivy.

This game is played by an odd number and is more fun if a good many play, say thirteen or fifteen. Choose partners and let there be one odd one. The girls kneel, and each one's partner, presumably a boy, takes her hand and to the tune of some familiar, lively song circles round her as in a dance. One of the girls (the leader) suddenly says, "What time does the king come home?" The circling continues, while the odd player says, "At 1 o'clock," or "At 2 o'clock," or any hour she chooses.

The girl leader then says, "What does he bring with him?" The extra player answers, "A bird," or "A flower," or "A diamond," or anything else she may think of, but when he says that the king brings home "A bunch of ivy" all the boys must start off and run around the outside of the ring as many times as the girl leader has said hours of the clock—once if 1 o'clock, twice if 2 o'clock, and so on, and back each to his partner. The one getting back to his partner last loses his place, and the extra boy takes it, the loser becoming the odd one.

Game of Initials.

A leader is first chosen who begins the game by addressing to any player a remark whose words begin with the initials of that player's name in their proper order or some epithet beginning with those initials. The others, one by one, address the same player in like manner. Whenever the player who is addressed can answer one of the others with a sentence or epithet beginning with the latter's initials before the next player speaks, then all the players must address the one so answered, and so the game goes on.

For instance, if a player's initials are A. E. B. he may be addressed as "an exquisite beauty," "an early bird," "apple eating brother," etc.

As all may not be familiar with ev-

ery one's initials, it would facilitate the game if each one had his or her initials plainly written and pinned on his shoulder in open sight.

A similar game is known in Germany, where it is called "Namenspiel" (name play).

A List of Nevers.

Never think of distant objects when talking to some one.

Never attempt to tell a story with which you are not well acquainted.

Never copy the manners of ill bred persons.

Never whisper when out in company.

Never be aggressive in conversation.

Never slight an older person.

Never show off your accomplishments.

Never make boast of clothes.

Never use profane language.

Never harm any of God's creatures.

Never quarrel with your family.

Never quarrel with anybody.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Sensitive Plant.

Oh, the sensitive plant
Is awfully queer!
If you just lightly touch it
It shrinks up with fear.

It seems to grow timid
From living each day
By the big tiger lily.
So fierce and so gay.

I guess you'd be frightened—
I would, don't you see,
If a big yellow tiger
Lived next door to me!

—St. Nicholas.

Blanche Ring, the actress, was operated upon for appendicitis at the private sanitarium of Miss Alice Perigo, 293 Central Park West, New York. The operation was performed by Dr. George W. Roberts. At a late hour Miss Ring was resting comfortably.

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Many industries are already established here, chief of which are the Western Meat Company, the Wool Pullery, the Soap Works, the Steiger Pottery Works, the W. P. Fuller White Lead Works, the South San Francisco Lumber and Supply Company, the Pacific Coast Steel Company, the Pacific Car and Equipment Company, the Standard Corrugated Pipe Works, and other enterprises, all of which are in operation to-day. The Meese Gottfried Machinery Company and the Enterprise Foundry of San Francisco have each recently made purchases of land, and South San Francisco is plainly destined to fulfill all that its promoters had hoped.

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The joint meeting of the board of supervisors and the advisory committee on the \$1,250,000 county road bond question, held at Redwood City on August 6th, was devoted to a very earnest discussion of several features of the proposed bond scheme and resulted in material progress towards framing up the proposition to be submitted to a vote on December 16th next.

It was decided that an expert should be employed by the supervisors to go over and verify County Surveyor Neuman's report and steps were taken to select and recommend a suitable man for appointment. It was also decided that the county auditor, assessor and surveyor should jointly prepare and submit an estimate to show approximately the tax rate required in case the bonds are voted.

And the several supervisors were authorized to select each in his township two citizen members of the advisory committee to aid in obtaining the new rights of way required to complete the county road system as per County Surveyor Neuman's report or any modification made therein.

The program made is gratifying. But one subject developed any serious discussion, and this was the question of building the main highway through the municipalities out of the bond issue. No definite action was taken upon this matter to settle the meaning of the resolution adopted at a former meeting. This question will come before the next meeting which is to be held on August 20th, at which time it is to be hoped that some satisfactory solution therein may be reached.

A company of American argonauts is said to have found limitless gold in the mountains of Spain. The chiefs of these romantic gold hunters are Eugene J. de Sabla Jr. of San Francisco and William Graham of the Standard Oil Company of Los Angeles. So certain are they that they have secured options on many gold places in Spain. De Sabla has just been to the deposits with his experts and the reports they give stagger old gold seekers.

FRATERNAL ORDERS

(BY HARRY EDWARDS.)

L. O. O. M.

South City Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, was instituted Tuesday evening last in Metropolitan Hall. The following had previously signed up and paid the fee entitling them to membership, after medical examination: Paul P. Blank, G. Welch, G. M. Melton, W. B. Sawtell, J. Ferri, I. W. Keith, J. S. Lopez, W. Hening, W. J. Smith, W. J. Martin, T. Andres, W. E. Leahy, C. E. Crawford, J. C. Wallace, W. W. Braun, T. Houghton, F. Menzie, J. Bianchi, L. R. Sisson, H. G. Plymire, J. Anderson, R. E. Setter, A. R. Meade, C. Baker, L. Ringu, L. M. Brewer, J. B. Mayers, C. Hammond, W. L. Hickey, T. McDonald, W. E. Bills, Ambrose McSweeney, E. J. Sullivan, Chas. H. Woodman, W. P. Acheson, G. A. David, J. Laborde, M. C. Ferron, C. Blank, N. C. Clinton, J. C. Eikerenkotter, T. C. McGovern, F. Phillips, C. G. Steele, J. E. Rogers, J. C. S. Hall, M. A. Zuro, H. C. Rogers, John O'Connor, E. M. Barnes, G. Silby, R. Tibbets, C. B. Hermerstine, H. W. Kneese, W. Miller, J. T. Casey, W. Donohue, Chas. Fenger, F. J. Dolan, O. Hittish, P. Lind, T. L. Hickey, W. R. Markt, A. B. Cavanagh, E. B. Werner, F. Farrel, J. C. McGovern.

Strange to relate, this is the exact number so far as numbers are concerned that met exactly six years ago, same date at same hour and organized the Fraternal Order of Eagles, and at the same minute in years mentioned, the presidents elect of both organizations, took their stations. The writer was installed six years ago same month, same day, hour and minute president of the F. O. E. Singular, isn't it? And it will be noted that many charter members of South City Moose Lodge also were charter members of the F. O. E., and are proud of the fact that they are members of the most progressive orders.

With F. J. Devlin, Dictator of San Francisco Lodge, No. 26, L. O. O. M., in the chair, the lodge proceeded to organize, with the following occupying supreme officers' stations: Junior Past Dictator Oswald Lockhart; Dictator F. J. Devlin; Vice Dictator E. W. Langenbach; Prelate Harry Edwards; Secretary R. L. Anderson; Sergeant-at-Arms, W. E. Lee; Inner Guard, W. Jenkins. The initiation was conducted by the same officers, assisted by members of drum corps of 26, in an impressive manner. It was a scene unequalled in fraternal orders, when the obligation was called for, to see and hear these good men and true acknowledging their fidelity to the principles of the Loyal Moose of the World.

After signing the roll, the lodge proceeded to install its officers-elect, as follows: Past Dictator, N. C. Clinton; Dictator, Hon. Ambrose McSweeney; Vice Dictator, E. J. Sullivan; Prelate, W. P. Acheson; secretary, W. J. Smith; treasurer, Dr. I. W. Keith; sergeant-at-arms, J. L. S. Hall; inner guard, P. P. Blank; outer guard, Carl Blank; trustees, Thos. L. Hickey, R. E. Setter, Dr. J. C. McGovern; physician, Dr. H. G. Plymire.

It should not pass unnoticed that all officers-elect responded to the call of the chair promising to do everything possible to make the lodge a success. Bros. Anderson and Lee, the organizers stated the charter would remain open for one more week only; that on Wednesday next the list would positively close. Therefore those desiring to join this progressive order at open charter rates can do so. It is expected that at least fifty candidates will present themselves and a good time assured.

Thanks were also extended to the drum corps for its presence and assistance, also to visitors from San Mateo

ANNUAL REPORT TO STATE CONTROLLER

Following are the financial transactions of the city of South San Francisco for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, in compliance with provisions of Chapter 550, Statutes 1911, approved April 21, 1911, as submitted by William J. Smith, City Clerk:

Population—U. S. census, 1910, 1989; estimated June 30, 1912, 2300.

Date incorporated—September 21, 1908.

Class—Sixth.

Fiscal year began—July 1, 1911.

Assessment roll, year 1912-13—Valuation of real estate, \$1,058,093; valuation of improvements, \$262,560; valuation of personal property, \$23,150. Total non-operative roll, \$1,343,803.

Valuation of corporation property in accord with Article 13, Section 14, Constitution, and Chapter 335, Statutes of 1911, total operative property, \$61,380. Grand total of operative and non-operative property, \$1,405,183.

Receipts of the last fiscal year—Property taxes, \$8966.05; licenses, liquor \$3627.50, all other \$312, total \$3939.50; fines; recorder's court, \$407.50; interest on deposits, \$9.38; received from contractors account sidewalk advertising, etc., \$483.50. Total receipts, \$13,805.93.

Expenditures of the last fiscal year—General government—Expense of election, \$50, all other \$6789.73, total \$6839.73. Protection of life and property—Police department \$85, fire department \$79.25, pound \$16; total \$180.25. Health conservation and sanitation—Health department \$8.50, street cleaning and sprinkling \$799.45, sewer repairs \$64.94; total \$872.89. Charities and corrections—Jail, maintenance of building \$27.25. Streets and highways—Maintenance and repairs \$4318.38, street lighting \$1192.85; total \$5511.23. Total ordinary expenditures, \$13,431.35.

Cost of street improvement work paid by assessments, \$30,494.

Clerk's statement of receipts, expenditures and balances of all funds, city of South San Francisco, fiscal year ending June 30, 1912: General fund—Balance of account beginning fiscal year, \$200.98; receipts, \$13,805.93; expenditures, \$13,431.35. Balance of account end of fiscal year, \$575.56.

Lodge, No. 804, and San Francisco Lodge, No. 26, but more especially to Brother Devlin who so ably conducted the initiatory ceremony, making the entrance to the defending circle by the new members a time to be remembered.

Thus starts the Loyal Order of Moose on its mission with purity, aid and progress as its motto. May 832 experience unbounded success.

DEVELOPMENT BOARD MONTHLY BULLETIN

This bulletin is based on special reports by reliable authorities to various counties covering nearly every section of the state.

The board is making an earnest effort to collect detailed and scientific information on California. A representative has spent a month in Butte county for this purpose.

So far the season has been very satisfactory to the California farmer and fruit grower and to the industries dependent on his success; and the promise seems to hold good for those crops that are yet to be harvested. There has been no general failure of any crop, while most of them are well up to the record.

The bank clearings for July show a gratifying increase over last year. The gains of the people of the state are finding permanent investment in remunerative enterprises.

Land sales for sub-division are going on all over the state.

The oil production for the first half of the year was over 43½ million barrels, which indicates an output for 1912 over 1911 of near 4,000,000 barrels. The excess over consumption, which is increasing, goes into storage.

For Sale—\$365 upright grand piano mahogany case, sweet toned, and in good order, a bargain for \$125. Inquire at 308 Miller avenue.

If you, want all the local news of the week you will find it in the columns of THE ENTERPRISE.

CALIFORNIA HOME INDUSTRY LEAGUE

San Francisco, August 1.—The result of a canvass by the Home Industry League of California shows that representative bodies in all parts of the state strongly favor home industry as a public policy. The Home Industry League sent out a letter to all commercial bodies in the state, early in July, in which the following was included: "The Home Industry League of California desires to secure from you an expression of opinion relative to the encouragement of the industries of California. By this is meant promotion by all legitimate means of the products of this state, price, quality and efficiency being equal, in preference to the products of any other state."

Some extracts from replies are given below:

From the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce—"This Chamber of Commerce is entirely in sympathy with the work of the league and we believe that everything ought to be done to conserve to the people of this state the benefits of our own industries. We ought by all means to encourage the efforts of our own people in the upbuilding of the State."

From the San Mateo County Development Association—"This association is fully in accord with the campaign which has been waged by the Home Industry League for the advancement of various business enterprises in this state and believe that your work is all important."

From the Board of Trade of Kern County—"This board is in thorough accord with the principles and ideas as outlined in your letter and are always ready and willing to lend their prestige toward the advancement of anything that will tend to boost the best interests of California."

From the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce—"You are respectively informed that at a meeting of the board of directors of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, a resolution was unanimously adopted earnestly endorsing the efforts of the Home Industry League of California in behalf of the manufacturing and other productive industries of this great commonwealth."

From the Oakland Chamber of Commerce—"We wish to congratulate you upon the effective campaign which you are making for the utilization of California products in every way possible and for the building up of home industry."

From the Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce—"We are in sympathy with your movement to encourage home industries and realize fully the work and the advantage to California."

Do you read the Argonaut? Many Californians say with satisfaction, they have read it thirty-five years. It is as entertaining, as candid, as cosmopolitan as ever. Sample copy sent to any address on request. Though its regular rate is \$4 a year it offers a trial subscription of three months—or until after the fall elections—for fifty cents. Two quarters in a letter will bring it. Address, Argonaut Publishing Co., 207 Powell St., San Francisco.

Homebuilder—Housekeeper—Boost by trading at home. The Development Association.

Primary Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that at the primary election to be held throughout the County of San Mateo, State of California, on Tuesday, the 30 day of September, 1912, at which election District and Township Officers are to be nominated, the following Polling Places and Boards of Election were selected and appointed by the Board of Supervisors for the election precincts in the First Township as follows:

COLMA PRECINCT NO. 1.
Polls at Jefferson Hall.
Judges—A. A. Haskins, H. D. Pierce.
Inspectors—Pauline Chain, Emma M. Callan.
Clerks—C. Suenderman, A. Sturla.

COLMA PRECINCT NO. 2.
Polls at Russi's Hall.
Judges—C. P. Lambert, John Tiedemann, Sr.
Inspectors—Mildred J. Young, Richard Johns, Sr.
Clerks—John Hesselein, Catherine A. Wight.

DALY CITY PRECINCT NO. 1.
Polls at Crocker Tract Hall.
Judges—R. E. Fine, Jane E. Sheehan.
Inspectors—Bertha V. Howard, T. R. Bowie.
Clerks—T. P. Moran, C. N. Robb.

DALY CITY PRECINCT NO. 2.
Polls at Pappas Hall.
Judges—H. H. Smith, Mary A. White.
Inspectors—Mary F. Welch, E. Forsell.
Clerks—O. P. Sexton, E. A. Pfuhl.

DALY CITY PRECINCT NO. 3.
Polls at store opposite Brackens.
Judges—E. Squier, Virginia Hardy.
Inspectors—Crystal Cerr, C. Houston.
Clerks—C. A. Anderson, Harry Strum.
BURLINGAME PRECINCT NO. 4.
Polls at School House.
Judges—Roy Van Schaleck, Ed. Chevalier.
Inspectors—Nora Prendergast, J. A. Rutherford.
Clerks—Hazel Hargraves, Warren De Gear.

LOMITA PARK PRECINCT.
Polls at School House.
Judges—Mary MacKay Fraser, Peter Johnson.
Inspectors—Charlotte S. Diggles, S. E. Throwell.

MILLBRAE PRECINCT.
Polls at Millbrae Hall.
Judges—L. McLean, J. McDonald.
Inspectors—C. J. Hoge, Ellen McGee.
Clerks—E. B. Bachelder, H. G. Robb.

SAN BRUNO PRECINCT NO. 1.
Polls at House Elm Avenue, near Crystal Springs Road.
Judges—Arthur Bredlow, Sarah B. Dickson.
Inspectors—P. Kane, Helen L. Maloney.
Clerks—P. E. Kelly, J. A. Sherman.

SAN BRUNO PRECINCT NO. 2.
Polls at Carpenter's Hall, off San Mateo Avenue.
Judges—E. G. Lieniz, E. Luttringer.
Inspectors—C. Schoellkopf, Mrs. L. W. Walsh.

SAN PEDRO PRECINCT.
Polls at Salada Hotel.
Judges—Lydia Comerford, P. E. Fleming.
Inspectors—Cora Boland, A. G. Rich.
Clerks—J. E. Meyers, J. C. Tompkin.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO PRECINCT NO. 1.
Polls at Hynding Building, Grand Avenue.
Judges—John Dowd, A. Carro.
Inspectors—Mellie Cohen, Lulu M. Crawford.

Clerks—C. Robinson, Edna L. McGovern.
SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO PRECINCT NO. 2.
Polls at Town Hall, Linden Avenue.
Judges—A. Wilber, Josephine Parr.
Inspectors—Mary Mercha, J. V. Bianchi.
Clerks—Peter Lind, H. Gaerdes.

VISITACION PRECINCT.
Polls at Waiting Room, Waldrige and San Bruno Road.
Judges—Harry Baker, Virginia H. Scherwin.
Inspectors—J. L. Sullivan, E. Allemand.

Clerks—B. T. Daley, Adelaide B. Burnett.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as County Clerk of the County of San Mateo this 5th day of August A. D. 1912.
JOS. H. NASH,
County Clerk.

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ROAD MAKERS TAKE TRIP TO YOSEMITE

Find No Reason for Barring Automobiles From Valley

Samuel Hill, father of good roads in the State of Washington and a good-roads enthusiast who has pursued his work in all parts of the United States and has extended his studies to all parts of the world, arrived in San Francisco as the rear guard of the delegates to the Pacific Highway Association convention, which has opened at the St. Francis Hotel. With Hill were Charles Chamberlain and C. H. Babcock of Seattle, both good-roads enthusiasts.

Hill, Chamberlain and Babcock made a side trip from Sacramento into the Yosemite valley, after motoring down the coast from The Dalles. They met with the park regulation barring automobiles after leaving Chinese Camp, but they continued on into the valley with saddle horses.

"There isn't any reason that I can see why automobiles should not be allowed in the Yosemite valley with proper restrictions," said Sam Hill. "I am the farmer's friend and have always championed the cause of the farmer, even when there was an objection by him to automobiles. But the automobile has come to stay, and we must reckon with it."

"At Sacramento we were told that the roads were in good shape and we could make the run in a few hours. That is the sort of misinformation that leaves a bad impression with the traveler. The roads were bad and they were dusty, and it was a long run with a big high-powered machine. Then the traveler encounters the fact that he must travel over a toll road. Each passenger in an automobile must pay \$1 to drive over the road leading to the Big Oak Flat road into the Yosemite. A man driving a team of horses over the same road is charged 50 cents."

"Those are mere details, however, that we must learn, and such things should be corrected."

"The census figures show us the trend of things. In 1870 49 per cent of the population lived on the land. In 1900 there was but 29 per cent of the population living on the land. The figures of the last census are not complete on that subject yet, but it will be 27 per cent or less of the population that will be shown as living on the land. Farmers form the basis of our civilization. They should be encouraged and there should be more of them. One of the big helps is good roads. They are needed and we must have them."

MISSING YOUTH IS ALLEGED DEFAULTER

Immense Shortage Charged to Fever for Stock Gambling

Admitting in a note left for his stepfather that he is an absconder, George A. W. Hinkel has disappeared from San Francisco, and with his disappearance there have appeared a number of rumors that are giving some of the brokers in the Montgomery and California street financial district no little worry. According to the story that spread through the district and which was admitted by William Hinkel, broker, real estate dealer and money lender, his stepson, George, dropped out of sight after making away with money and securities valued at from \$30,000 to \$50,000.

The elder Hinkel has not taken the police into his confidence. He has made no effort through the police to apprehend the young man.

The note in which young Hinkel admitted his defalcation was addressed to Sam Shannon, who is interested with the elder Hinkel in oil properties. The note explained that the young man had overplayed himself in the stock market and that he dare not face his stepfather, who had been his best friend. Young Hinkel further explained that he was leaving for distant parts, taking with him \$60, all that he had left of the fortune he admitted stealing.

The committee of Representatives which took testimony against Federal Judge Cornelius H. Hanford at Seattle has recommended to the House Judiciary Committee that the impeachment proceedings be dropped and that President Taft accept the Judge's resignation.

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RECALLERS FAIL TO WIN IN OAKLAND

Mott Administration Victorious By Sweeping Majorities

With the official announcement of the Oakland City Clerk of the returns from the "recall" election, is shown the sentiment of the citizens of Oakland toward Mayor Frank K. Mott and Commissioners William J. Baccus and Frederick C. Turner.

The administration forces won out with handsome majorities. The official vote on the various candidates was announced as follows:

Recall—Mayor Frank K. Mott: Yes, 10,850; no, 17,140. W. J. Baccus: Yes, 10,077; no, 16,785. F. C. Turner: Yes, 12,282; no, 16,829.

For Mayor—Frank K. Mott, 16,562; Robert Vincent (S.), 5606; John L. Davie, 5141; John W. Johnson, 202.

For Commissioner of Streets—William J. Baccus, 17,309; John H. Eustice, 9723.

For Commissioner of Health and Safety—F. C. Turner, 16,235; Dr. F. F. Jackson, 5555; Thomas F. Sheehan, 5528.

The overwhelming defeat was met by the "recallers" with nothing to say. They offer no excuses for their actions, and cannot, they say, account for the majority of citizens who cast their ballots against them. Any further attempt to recall any of the three public officials who were concerned in this election will require the signatures of 30 per cent of the voters who cast ballots at the last general election to a petition for the election. But 15 per cent was required to compel the City Council to call this election. It is estimated that 9000 women voted.



CLOSE FITTING HAT

The wing on this hat is adjusted at an angle that suggests the fabled cap of Mercury. The close fitting turned up model is one of those fabrics that so closely approximate Turkish toweling. The little neck ruffle of net and ribbon is a smart accessory for the woman whose neck is not one of her strong points.

WATERWAY WILL BE FINISHED ON TIME

Water to Be Turned Into Big Ditch Next Year

Water will be turned into the Panama canal by September, 1913, and the waterway will be open to shipping in 1915, just as promised by Engineer in Chief Colonel Goethals, said J. St. Clair Hunt, who arrived from the canal zone and is stopping in San Francisco. Hunt is in charge of the Pacific Coast terminal of the Panama Railway and captain of the port of Ancon. He has been in the canal zone since 1901, and is on a month's leave of absence.

"The locks are nearing completion," said Hunt, "and some of the gates in the Gatun dam are being put in position. Excavation will soon be completed, and by September of next year water will be flowing in the canal."

"There is great activity all along the canal zone, exclusive of the digging work. The railway administration is increasing its transportation facilities and new docks are being rapidly constructed on both coasts to meet the increased demand for shipping facilities. The railroad is now transporting an average of 60,000 tons of freight a month, not counting Government supplies. Seven steamship lines are now sending freight into Ancon for transshipment across the isthmus for New York and Europe. Work on the Army fortifications is also being carried on vigorously, and everywhere there is greater activity in the canal district than ever before."

"The age of revolutions in Panama is past," continued Hunt. "The last Presidential election was conducted with exemplary tranquility. It was conducted fairly. The people had a chance to vote and have their votes counted, and the losers had no complaint after the result was known."

"The health conditions in the zone are the best of any tropical country on the globe. We don't know what a mosquito is any more, and if one happens to be discovered a report is made to the health authorities, who immediately start out to get its description and number. This constant campaign of caution and improvement has worked the most wonderful transformation known."

"The greatest interest is being taken in the southern countries in the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The people are already making preparations for coming here. They want to see and know San Francisco and California, and the universal exposition will afford them an opportunity."

GENERAL NEWS EVENTS

Chicago street car men favor a strike by a vote of 6939 to 171 unless their demands for higher wages and improved working conditions are granted.

Walter Permenter, brother of Swinton Permenter, once convicted and later granted a new trial on the charge of killing Miss Jane Sharp July 22, 1910, at Louisville, Miss., was shot and killed from ambush in the yard of a relative's home at Eupora, Miss.

At the home of Mrs. John Jacob Astor, 840 Fifth avenue, New York, where a new heir is expected, it is said that Dr. Edward B. Cragin, a specialist, had taken up his residence in the house pending the event. The doctor, with one nurse, will remain in constant attendance. Dr. Kimball, the family physician, will be summoned with two extra nurses as soon as they are needed.

A. J. Daly, Democratic National Committeeman from Alaska, committed suicide aboard a river steambot near Tolovano, seventy miles west of Fairbanks, while en route to the Iditarod district. Daly shot himself through the head with a revolver. A coroner's jury at Hot Springs landing found that he was temporarily insane when he killed himself.

Representative Raker's bill to establish a Government mining experiment station at Auburn, Cal., will not become a law at this session, though it has been reported favorably and is on the House calendar. Pressure of other business will prevent the House from reaching the measure at this session. At the next session, however, the bill undoubtedly will be among the first to be passed.

Battling desperately every inch of ground he gave before a posse led by five determined deputy sheriffs, wounded almost to death, George Ballew, Tennessee gunman, sought a moment's respite behind a haystack and fired a bullet through his brain, three

JACK ROSE.

Under Arrest in Connection With Rosenthal Murder, New York.



miles southwest of La Junta, Colo. Ballew after shooting four persons, two of whom are in a critical condition, and burning a summer resort hotel at South Platte, Colo., fled to the hills and has been hunted by a dozen posses since then.

For fifteen years Mary Alda Bousquet of Reno, Nev., has been searching for her three brothers. Albert has been located in Oakland, Cal.; Peter is now in Oregon; Amedee, the third, is still missing, but is believed to be in Nevada. He was traced to Carson, then to Tuolumne county, California; thence, seven years ago, to Tonopah, and four years ago to Jackson, Amador county, California. Miss Bousquet stated that at one time all three brothers lived in San Francisco, none knowing the others were there.

Forces which oppose any change in the present divorce laws in the State of Nevada are centering their fight on the election of members of the State Senate. With control of that branch of the State government they hope to kill any measures designed to change the period of residence from six months, as it is at present, to one year. Throughout the State of Nevada there is decided opposition to the present divorce laws, and in order to prevent any change the utmost efforts will be made to capture the upper house.

Rufus L. Perry, a negro lawyer of Brooklyn, became a Jew when he went through the various ceremonies at the hands of Rabbi Scheiner. It is said that Perry is the first negro to accept this rite since the Biblical instance of Ham, son of Noah, the supposed original progenitor of the African race. Perry is 38 years of age, single and is a graduate of the New York University Law School. As a criminal lawyer, he has attained some fame. Perry was informed that "instead of Rufus, you are named Raphael." As soon as the ceremony, which lasted about fifteen minutes, was concluded, Perry's newly acquired Hebraic brothers began their fasting.

Clarence Dayton Hillman, millionaire real estate operator of Seattle, who became ensnared in the net of the Federal Government and who is now serving a thirty months' sentence at McNeil's Island, is already preparing papers for a parole to be filed with the Board of Pardons February 19th. This is the earliest possible date that Hillman could obtain his release under the statutes. Hillman was convicted of perpetuating frauds on poor people who bought his land. He fleeced hundreds, the Government's agents said, and amassed more than \$1,000,000 through his clever operations about Seattle. Despite his donning of the stripes, Hillman has maintained his characteristic good nature and pleasant way that has always made him an enigma with the authorities. He is a model prisoner and goes about his work with a smile and a cheery word for the other convicts.

Commenting on the United States Senate's reaffirmation of the Monroe doctrine, the "Pall Mall Gazette" speaks strongly. It says: "International relations would be made easier and the Monroe doctrine more acceptable to other powers if the opportunity were taken to reaffirm the determination of the United States not to seek further territorial expansion and to avoid the same kind of colorable acquisition of places convenient for naval bases which the Senate declares it would view with concern on the part of other nations."

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7:03 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
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7:40 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
8:04 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
8:44 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
9:28 A. M.
9:53 A. M.
12:52 P. M.
3:04 P. M.
3:41 P. M.
5:14 P. M.
5:28 P. M.
7:02 P. M.
7:26 P. M.
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(Sunday only)
11:40 P. M.

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7:17 A. M.
(Sunday only)
7:18 A. M.
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A FATHER'S GIFT

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By MAURICE ROUGET

The Marquis de la Ferriere was in his cabinet in his residence in the Faubourg St. Germain in Paris. The Prussians had been victorious at every point and had captured the Emperor Napoleon III. The marquis was pacing back and forth with his hands clasped behind his back, evidently much agitated. A servant entered, announced "Maitre Jousseur" and was followed by a man of a professional cut.

"Jousseur," said the marquis without even inviting the lawyer to be seated, "we are to have terrible times. The Prussians are sure to capture Paris, for there is nothing that can successfully oppose them. When they have squeezed out of us all the blood there is in us and have withdrawn we shall again be at the mercy of the mob that slaughtered our fathers when the monarchy fell. I am old and feeble and doubt if I shall live through the coming storms. My son, Victor, is with his regiment at the front. I wish to execute a paper that will turn over my property to him."

"Why not make a will?"
"Because at my death relatives are sure to dispute any will I may make. When I die my property must pass from me to my son through the courts, and in this intermediate state it will be vulnerable. If I give it to my son now he will possess it, and you know that possession is nine points in the law."

"Well, marquis, all you need to do is simply sign a paper by which for a consideration you transfer all your property to Victor."

Taking up a slip of paper, the attorney wrote what he had stated and in about as simple form. Jousseur



AT A GLANCE HE RECOGNIZED THE PAPER.

affixed his notarial seal, and domestics were called in to witness the signature. Then the lawyer, who was in a hurry, as every one in Paris was at that time, went away at once. The marquis followed him to the door. At the same moment a door or window in another part of the house was opened, and since the day was blustery a strong draft swept through the cabinet. When the marquis turned to his desk he found most of the papers on the floor. Gathering them up, he placed them in a tin box, from which they had been removed, and put the box in his safe.

The next visitor the marquis received was Mlle. Natalie Villaret, a young lady about twenty years of age and of prepossessing appearance.

"My dear," he said, "I have done something today of which I wish to inform you. Knowing that Victor's life would be blighted if he should be unable to claim you for his wife and having a strong feeling that I shall not live through the terrible times upon which we are entering, realizing that should Victor be deprived of my property, which should be his at my death, and knowing further that in that event your father would not consent to your marriage with my son—realizing all these as I do, I have signed a paper putting him in possession of all my property from this day. In case he lives to return and finds that I have succumbed tell him that he will find the paper in a tin box in the safe."

"Oh, marquis," exclaimed the young girl, throwing her arms around the

old man's neck, "now thou art free for our happiness! Banish these forebodings. I certainly expect to have you at our wedding."

"No; my grandfather died on the guillotine during the reign of terror. My father, who in '48 was an invalid, was so worked upon by his fears, remembering what he had passed through as a child, that he was overcome by mental distress. When we get rid of the Prussians—if we ever do—there will be more trouble, and I do not care to live to see the end of it."

A shudder passed over Mlle. Villaret, for she, too, realized that when the coming storm had blown over many a family in France would be left in mourning. Indeed, her lover was even now constantly meeting the perils of war.

The German army had marched through Paris and was on its way back to the fatherland. The communists had sacked Paris and burned many public buildings, including the historic palace of the Tuilleries. The republic had been established, and once more quiet was restored to France. The Marquis de la Ferriere had succumbed to the horrors of the commune. His son had returned, had been wounded in the defense of Paris, had been nursed by Mlle. Villaret and had recovered. The day for the wedding of the young marquis and his fiancée had been fixed, and the shadow that hung over France in their case had been brightened by their coming nuptials.

When the day arrived for the marriage settlements Victor went to his father's safe to get the paper that had put him in possession of his inheritance. A suit had already been commenced to deprive him of it, but he had no fear but that when it became known that he had been the owner for some time before his father's death it would be withdrawn. Opening the safe, he took out the tin box and began to hunt for the paper he wanted. It was not to be found. Again and again he went through everything in the box, but nothing transferring any property to him appeared. Beside himself with anxiety, he examined every document in the safe. Not a scrap of a pen either transferring or bequeathing property to him was there.

Hastening to Natalie, he asked her if she had not been mistaken in the place his father had told her she would find the transfer. She replied that she was positive the marquis had said it was in a tin box in the safe.

When M. Villaret was apprised of the fact that Victor must gain possession of the estate as heir-at-law through the courts, that a suit for it had already been commenced by Victor's cousins, he refused to give his consent to the marriage. Natalie would have been willing to wait till the inheritance was decided, but suits in chancery are long drawn out, and unless the estate involved is a very large one it is usually eaten up in litigation. Victor was too honorable to permit her to remain tied to him with so desperate a prospect before him.

But the love between Victor and Natalie was too strong to be broken, though their union was given up. The courts permitted the young marquis to retain temporary possession of the family residence in the Faubourg St. Germain, and Victor spent many an hour in his father's cabinet trying to conjure up some reason for the non-appearance of the missing paper which his father had evidently mislaid instead of putting away in the box, as he had supposed he had done.

The old world has not, or at least had not at that time, done away with many of its ancient usages. The La Ferriere residence was a very old one. In the cabinet was a huge fireplace with one of those enormous chimneys requiring to be cleaned at stated times. The chimney sweep, with his smock frock and sooty face, even to this day, is an institution in parts of Europe. Victor was sitting in his cabinet one day when his major domo ushered in a sweep and told him to clean the chimney.

So wrapt was Victor in trying to solve the problem of the missing paper that he was unconscious of any one having entered the room. Suddenly he looked up to be confronted by the black face and white eyes of the sweep, who stood before him with outstretched hand, in which there was something yellow and black. Victor took a crumpled paper from the sweep, smoothed it out and at a glance recognized the paper for which he had been hunting.

When a few moments later, he ran out of the cabinet, meeting the major domo in the hall, the latter thought some accident had happened to his master, for Victor's face and shirt bosom were covered with soot. He had embraced the sweep. He was seizing his hat to go to inform Natalie of the find when the servant held him and begged him to look in a mirror before leaving the house. He did so and saw that

he must delay to wash the soot off his face and put on clean linen.

There was rejoicing in the two families at the recovery. Its possession forced Victor's opponents to withdraw their claims as heirs of his father and begin all over again as heirs of the late marquis' grandfather. Discouraged, they were ready to listen to a proposition Victor made them to pay the costs of the suit, which had already become considerable.

When Maitre Jousseur was informed of the recovery of the transfer he had executed he remembered that when he opened the door to leave the late marquis' cabinet a draft had swept the papers off the table. His theory was that the paper the marquis had just signed had been carried into the chimney, where it had lodged in a crevice. Fortunately no fire had been made there since. The chimney was being cleaned preparatory to its use in the approaching winter. The marquis who was greatly agitated at the time, had doubtless supposed the instrument was among the papers he had picked up off the floor. Those interested were obliged to be content with this explanation since the marquis was alone when he replaced the scattered papers and was the only person who could have given any account of the matter.

As soon as the suit against Victor's estate had been withdrawn M. Villaret settled a hundred thousand francs on his daughter, and the nuptials with the young marquis were celebrated.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE.

Submitting to the Electors of the San Bruno Park School District of San Mateo County, State of California, the Question Whether the Bonds of Such School District Shall Be Issued and Sold.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of San Bruno Park School District, of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the 12th day of August, 1912, at that certain building known as the San Bruno Park School House, situated on Elm Avenue in Huntington Park, in this School District, between the hours of one o'clock p. m. and eight o'clock p. m. of said day, during which period and between which hours, the polls shall remain open continuously, at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said District to the amount of Eight Thousand (\$8000.00) Dollars for the purposes of raising money for

Making alterations and additions to school building,

Supplying school building with furniture and necessary apparatus,

Improving school grounds,

Will be voted upon; and that by order of said Board, duly entered in its minutes, all of said purposes for which said bonds shall be issued and sold, and all of said purposes for raising money by the sale thereof, for doing each and all the things aforesaid, were and are duly united into one single proposition, and as such single proposition shall be voted upon at said election, said single proposition being that of issuing and selling bonds for the purpose of raising money for doing each and all the things aforesaid, and that there shall be and appear upon the ballots used at said election, the words, "Bonds—Yes" and "Bonds—No", and any elector desiring to vote in favor of said bonds shall put a cross (X) upon his ballot with pencil or ink, after the words, "Bonds—Yes" and any elector desiring to vote against said bonds shall put a cross (X) upon his ballot in pencil or ink after the words "Bonds—No". Any ballot so used and duly voted and marked with a cross (X) after the words "Bonds—Yes", shall be canvassed and counted as provided by law, as a vote in favor of issuing said bonds. Any ballot so used and duly voted and marked with a cross (X) after the words, "Bonds—No" shall be canvassed and counted as provided by law, as a vote against issuing said bonds. Said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold, shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of Five (5) per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually and shall be numbered from one (1) to sixteen (16) consecutively, payable as follows:

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Bond No. 14.—\$500.00, to run fourteen years.
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Bond No. 16.—\$500.00, to run sixteen years.

That Matthew Dickson and Augustus B. Holliday will act as Judges and J. M. Custer will act as Inspector of said election and conduct the same, said Judges and Inspector being competent and qualified electors of said School District.

And notice is further given, that said election is called, and will be held, and this notice is given pursuant to an order and resolution adopted by the vote of the majority of the members of the Board of Trustees of said School District, at a meeting of said Board duly held on the 18th day of July, 1912.

In witness whereof, we, the majority of the members of the Board of Trustees of said San Bruno Park School District, and as constituting a majority of said Board of Trustees have signed the foregoing Notice of Election this 18th day of July, 1912.

HENRY SPALDING,
GEO. W. EDWARDS,
A majority of the Trustees of San Bruno Park School District, County of San Mateo, State of California.
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To the Citizens of San Bruno Park School District: The view of the fact that a bond election will be held in this district, Monday, August 12th, for the purpose of raising \$8000 for school purposes, the trustees think it best to make a statement in regard to this school and what they propose to do if the bond carries.

More or less criticism is going the rounds in regard to the management of this school from the time the new school house was built to the present, mostly by people who will not take the trouble to acquaint themselves with the actual facts.

The school board holds regular monthly meetings on the last Tuesday of each month at the school house and any or all residents of this district are welcome to attend these meetings. Also the books of this district are open for inspection by any interested party. By taking advantage of this all persons can inform themselves much better than by hearsay.

The original \$25,000 raised by bonds was expended on the building site, plans for building school building, superintending construction of same, insurance on building, etc. In looking over the contracts, records, etc., I can find no reason for questioning the way this money was spent.

The \$25,000 was not sufficient to equip the building and put the grounds in shape. Several old debts turned up the past year that had to be paid, one of \$560 known as the Thorpe claim for services rendered by Mr. Thorpe in 1908. Another of \$850 to the C. F. Webber Co., some items dating back to 1909. Also last year we found it necessary to build a retaining wall costing \$1460.

This was necessary for the safety of the children and the protection of the school property. To pay these claims and maintain school for the year we had to ask for a special tax of about \$1100.

I want to say right here that I believe the way to run a school district is to make provision for paying all just claims when due and not pass them on to embarrass the district at some future time. This is simply good business practice that applies to public affairs the same as private business.

Now for the future. This board stands for progress. We are looking ahead, not back. So far as I am concerned, the school fight is over.

The amount we are asking for is a very close estimate on very necessary improvements to the school house and grounds to bring them up to where they will compare favorably with other schools in this vicinity.

Some of the improvements we will make if the bond election carries will be an efficient heating plant, estimated at \$2700; heating and fitting up the assembly hall, buy a piano, install fire hose, reels and extinguishers throughout the building, plaster basement ceiling, grade and cement about eight thousand square feet of yard immediately surrounding the building. Furnish and fit up library, principal's and teachers' rooms, build retaining wall on south side of property, grade and gravel west yard to use as playground. Beautify the grounds by seeding certain sections and planting trees and plants. Furnish playground equipment. Furnish safe transportation for the younger scholars of Belle Air Park and fifth addition to and from school.

In regard to the fence for the school property promised by A. J. Tucker, the board took this matter up with Mr. Smith last April and after some correspondence Mr. Smith agreed to build the fence whenever the trustees are ready for same.

Now the board is simply giving you a chance to say what you want to do, go ahead or drift back. We appeal to the people to the progressive element of San Bruno who take a just pride in the community they live in, in the children they have borne and their neighbors' children. We say give them the best opportunity you can to secure an education and proper training for life's work.

It is not the trustees you are voting to please or displease, but the welfare of two hundred children who deserve the best at your hands.

This Board of Trustees will at all times use its best efforts to improve the San Bruno school; to make it the most respected institution in this

community; to enlarge the opportunity of every child in this district to become a good and useful citizen.

We would be remiss in our duty if we failed to do this. Therefore, we ask the co-operation of every right thinking man and woman in this district to accomplish this end. Henry Spalding, Clerk.

This statement meets with my full approval. George W. Edwards, Trustee.

Two sisters of Mrs. H. Leslie from San Francisco visited her last Tuesday.

The third annual ball by the Alohas will take place in Green's Hall on Saturday evening, August 24th. General admission 25 cents.

The United Railroads and Southern Pacific Company have had weeds along their rights of way cut and burned during the past week.

The bond election of the San Bruno Park School District will be held next Monday from 1 to 8 p. m. Everybody should get out and vote.

The Aloha's will give its third annual ball in Green's Hall on Saturday evening, August 24th. Go and have a good time. General admission 25 cents.

A party of sixteen couple enjoyed themselves dancing at Mike Martinelli's last Sunday. They also partook of a ravioli and chicken dinner at Telia's.

At the last meeting of the Fourth Addition Improvement Club, the matter of the school bond issue was taken up from a previous meeting and by motion without argument was unanimously tabled indefinitely.

A benefit concert will be given in Green's Hall, San Bruno, on Saturday evening, August 17th. During the evening there will be a Spanish dance by La Flor. The purpose of the concert is to raise funds to purchase a statue of St. Anthony for St. Bruno's Church. A door prize will be given away. Admission—Adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.

Where there is a will there is a way. The courageous always find a way out of difficulties. Darkness has no terror for Yeomen, as was demonstrated by the Homestead members and a large party of friends last Tuesday evening when the hall as well as the town was in darkness owing to the electric lights being out of commission. Antiquated lights of all descriptions were soon distributed throughout the hall. Its somber semi-darkness lent a charm to the situation. Dancing, a fine program rendered, as well as games and prizes for the winners. Ice cream and cake for all, and then some. About sixty people participated. The music was superb. Mrs. R. Liddle, pianist, and Messrs. Bewley and Daneri cornetists.

The following collections have been made in San Bruno for the benefit of the San Bruno 1915 Flute and Drum Corps: By Victor Dickson and Max Mueldiner: \$2.00—Huntington Park Improvement Club: \$1.00—M. Dickson, C. A. J. Mueldiner, Oscar Anderson, Andrew Buerk: 50 cents—Mrs. Osmer, Mrs. Wisback, Paul Nelson, Rossingram, P. Kane, H. Cook, Joe Dafonich, M. Bredlow, Mr. Cygar, Dudley, A. Jenevein, Mrs. Leach: 25 cents—Cryer, A. Russel, A. Engle, R. E. Kelly, L. Austin, J. Wolf, Ringle, Pene, Geo. Ross, L. Adams, Mrs. Evarats, F. Craig, Hake, H. Spalding. Total, \$15.50. By James Forster and Hans Mueldiner: \$1.00—Forster, Dr. Smith, Carpenters' Union: 50 cents—E. M. A. Pallas, Doyle, Liddle, Dr. McKay, Jacobson, Droge, Rev. Williams, Bryant, Schoellkopf: 25 cents—Adams, Dr. Bohm, Olson, Jones, Fegan, Hirrell, Harish, Pfluger, R. Mead, Sullivan: 10 cents—Ameaux. Total, \$10.10. By Wm. Dickson: \$1.00—Henry Schmidt, S. Lombardi: 50 cents—G. Sneath, Peter Bollinger, Mr. Flynn, V. Laguen, H. Toll: 30 cents—A subscriber: 25 cents—C. Wiedman, Mr. Ricci: 10 cents—A subscriber. Total \$5.40. By Willie Henry and Paul Ledwith: \$1.00—Mr. Regan: 50 cents—G. Ricci, M. Dresher: 25 cents—Mrs. Wiesel, Schoellkopf, Debenedetti, E. C. Moore, G. Whitback, Krauss: 10 cents—Mrs. Legundes, Nieri: Total, \$3.80. By Harvey Froom: 50 cents—Therrell: 25 cents—W. H. Easy, C. C. Griffen, C. A. Morroe, H. E. Griffen, E. Shenk, E. M. Boyle: Total, \$2. By Norman Dickson: 50 cents—W. M. Maurr, L. H. Kirk, Mrs. Weller: 25 cents—M. Kellerher, F. Rogers, E. M. Robb, A. C. Babbirk,

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"The phenomena of free and happy life is a wonderful and beautiful study, and no lessons so effectively foster all that is good and noble in the human heart. In connection with this, teach Kindness, Justice, and Mercy to all living creatures and you form a character approaching to the perfect man and woman."

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LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed at South San Francisco, Cal., August 9, 1912:

DOMESTIC

Leo Anderson, A. S. Allsop, Leigh Forques, Jem Hansen, H. H. Hoskinson, Silvano Jacopetti, Ethel Kraft, R. Lemoine, Roy Lindberg, Del Frate Lorenzina, Natale Merani, C. E. Myers, Battista Rodondi, Herbert C. Watkins, T. J. Watkins, T. J. Waldron, John Wallace.

FOREIGN

Bellagrab, Buggeno, Fiorentini Fiorri, Alfredo Forni, Giovanni Regalia (2).

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Threatening that they would resign in a body unless their request was granted within a short time, the members of the Fire Department of San Leandro sent a letter to the Board of Town Trustees asking that better fire-fighting apparatus be afforded them. The Fire Department members claim that they are greatly handicapped by the obsolete style of apparatus placed at their disposal in this important work.

For Rent—Houses from \$3.50 up For Sale—4-room house, \$25 down New five-room house, all modern, \$150 down Four-room house and one lot, \$700 Three-room house and one lot, \$700 L. M. Pfuger, San Bruno crossing

TERSE CALIFORNIA NEWS

M. A. Duncan, a pioneer grocerman of Bakersfield, is at a hospital with a serious fracture of the skull as a result of a collision between his auto and a Santa Fe passenger train.

Edward Miller has been sentenced to one year in San Quentin for burglary by Superior Judge Trabucco. He was convicted of breaking into a cigar store on the water front of San Francisco.

The entire family of Frank Slater, living near Martinez, is ill with ptomaine poisoning. The victims are Slater, his wife and three children. Succotash is believed to have caused their illness. The victims are now out of danger.

The Police Department of San Francisco has been asked to find John Rochette, mining and civil engineer, who was last heard of by his family in 1908. At that time he was in San Francisco. Inquiry is made by his mother, Mrs. John L. Rochette, Lake St. John, Canada.

Elisha R. Laurence, a farmer of San Joaquin county and the father of twenty-one children, seventeen of whom are now alive, will seek to be elected to the Assembly from Stockton. He will oppose Assemblyman J. W. Stuck-enbruck of meadow-lark fame. He is 75 years old and a Republican.

The Standard Oil Company of California has filed notice with the County Clerk on an increase in its capital stock from \$25,000,000 to \$50,000,000. The increased capital is to be used to improve the company's plant at Point Richmond in order to meet the demands for refined oil in the Far West.

Peter Grifal, formerly a quartermaster on the steamer Korea, who was convicted of smuggling opium and sentenced to serve six months in the Alameda county jail and pay a fine of \$300, and who took the pauper's oath to evade paying the fine, was released from custody after being examined by Commissioner Krull.

Having sailed together in the proverbial matrimonial craft for six months without a storm sufficient to cause a wreck, J. R. Staskey and Mrs. C. A. Dillon of Los Angeles ended a trial marriage and entered permanently into the matrimonial harness, when Rev. L. S. Jones of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Sacramento, performed the ceremony.

Unless the Governor should commute the death sentence of Edward Delhantie, the convict who on February 16th of this year, in San Quentin, stabbed to death William Kaufman, a fellow prisoner, Delhantie will have to swing for his crime, the State Supreme Court affirming the judgment of the trial court finding him guilty of murder in the first degree and sentencing him to death.

The table grape crop in northern San Joaquin county will be 40 per cent short of the normal and the wine grapes will be 50 per cent short this year, according to experienced fruit men in the Lodi district. Lodi vineyards which have not been irrigated this year show the lack of moisture in the drying up of the leaves and fruit. Some vineyards are worse than others, depending on the quality of the soil and the method of cultivation. Lack of rainfall accounts in all cases for the shortness of the crop.